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**Appendix F:**

***Volunteer  
Waiver  
Form***

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## Sample Volunteer Waiver Form

### WAIVER OF LIABILITY

(Association/Group)

#### Participant Information and Hold Harmless Form

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Survey Area: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Dates of Survey: \_\_\_\_\_

The watershed survey in which you are invited to participate has inherent risks associated with it. Although (Association/Group) has taken steps to assure that the survey is conducted in a safe manner, it is imperative that you take personal responsibility for your safety. We ask that you take the following steps:

1. Provide the (Association/Group) with relevant information about your skill level, capability and health.
2. Follow the direction of the (Association/Group) in their efforts to ensure a goal of safety for everyone involved. This may require changing plans or possibly canceling the survey.
3. Provide the information requested below to the (Association/Group) prior to participation in the survey.
4. If the (Association/Group) asks that you do not participate in an activity, please understand that this decision is made to protect you, other participants, and (Association/Group).

I hereby hold (Association/Group) , its agents and employees harmless from and all liability for damages from my action, including, but not limited to, my selection and use of equipment, and I hereby accept full responsibility for any and all such damages or injury which may result.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

#### Relevant Information:

1. Do you have personal medical insurance? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If "Yes," Name of Company \_\_\_\_\_

2. Whom should (Association/Group) contact in an emergency?

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Numbers \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Numbers \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

3. Pertinent Medical History:

- Do you have any known allergies? Describe. \_\_\_\_\_
- Are you currently taking any medication? Describe \_\_\_\_\_
- Do you have a history of medical problems? Describe \_\_\_\_\_

#### Physical agility (Initial all that apply to you):

- I am capable of walking on relatively smooth, even terrain, such as gently sloping lawns and dirt roads. \_\_\_\_\_
- I am capable of climbing down (and back up) short sections of relatively steep or uneven terrain such as stream banks, drainage ditches, or furrowed fields. \_\_\_\_\_
- I am capable of hiking up and down long sections of uneven or relatively steep terrain such as hillsides. \_\_\_\_\_
- I am capable of walking along slippery, shifting, and/or highly uneven terrain such as rocky stream bottoms. \_\_\_\_\_